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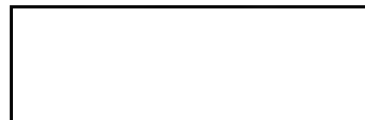
MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. John Warner
Legislative Counsel

SUBJECT : Contribution to the Joint Economic Committee (JEC)
of the Congress on the Soviet Economy

1. As I indicated to you on the phone the other day, we have been asked by Leon Herman of the Library of Congress to provide a contribution to a publication of the JEC entitled "Indicators for the USSR," which will be issued in March or April of 1968. This publication will update similar statistical reviews published in 1964 and 1965. Our contributions would be statistical and no individual statistics in the final report could be identified with the Agency. We would not be contributing any articles to this JEC report of the type that appeared in "New Directions in the Soviet Economy" in 1966.

2. I see no objection to identifying CIA as a contributing Agency in the Foreword to the report, but I would like your views on this. I presume you will check this with the Director. Ed Proctor also asked whether the Director's earlier injunctions that we should check with Senator Russell on matters of this kind would apply in this case. I gather from what you said on the phone that this is not necessary, but that you will also check this with the Director.

3. I have attached a copy of an older report so that you can see what is involved. I would like to have this back.



Director
Economic Research

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Attachment:

"Current Economic Indicators
for the USSR," June 1965

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

26 September 1967

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White's desire that [] discuss this problem
with him.

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